

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
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De La Guardia, <i>et al.</i>)	Art Unit: 1619
)	
Application No. 10/654,233)	Examiner: Venkat, Jyothsna A.
)	
Filing Date: September 2, 2003)	Confirmation No. 4734
)	
For: "METHODS OF NEUTRALIZING)	
RELAXED HAIR AND COMPOSITIONS)	
FOR SAME")	

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$130.00	(\$ 65.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$490.00	(\$245.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$1,110.00	(\$555.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,730.00	(\$865.00)*
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$2,350.00	(\$1,175.00)*

* Small Entity

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A credit card payment is being submitted via EFS Web in the amount of \$1,580.00, representing \$1,175.00 for a small entity Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(5) and \$405.00 for a small entity Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

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